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**In re application of:** Ryuichi Morishita &  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

This responds to the Office action dated May 11, 2006. A three-month period for response was set, and a one-month extension fee is enclosed, making a reply due September 11, 2006. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 4.